

The practical application of the Draft Law on Strategic Environmental Assessment in Moldova through the Road Map in promoting Green Economy: Agriculture

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National Strategy for Agricultural and Rural Development for the years 2014-2020: aspects of the green economy

- ***Vision:*** competitive agribusiness sector restructured and modernized. Improved living and working conditions in rural areas. Food activities existing **in harmony with the natural environment by maintaining biodiversity, and traditional cultural values for future generations.**
- ***The objective:*** ensuring food sector contribution to **achieving national objectives of sustainable economic and social development.**
- ***The goal:*** to enhance the competitiveness of the agrifood sector through an extensive restructuring and modernization and to improve the quality of life and work in rural areas by creating **synergies between the food and the natural environment.**

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- **The overall objective no. 1: Increasing competitiveness of the agrifood sector through restructuring and market modernization**

Key indicators

- The number of normative and legal acts endorsed and promoted under the Association Agreement and Free Trade Agreement Deep and Comprehensive (DCFTA) between Moldova and the European Union approved
- Number of normative acts and drafts
- The number of information systems developed and functional

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- **The overall objective no. 2: Ensure sustainable management of natural resources in agriculture**

Key indicators

- Land Code developed and approved
- Crop areas through the use of technology No- Till / Mini-till, ha
- The number of traders and farmers engaged in organic farming Area for the organic farming hectares

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- **The overall objective no. 3: Improving living standards in rural areas.**

Key indicators

- The volume of financial resources investment in physical infrastructure
- The length of water supply networks and irrigation, built or modernized
- Number of local development programs

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Conclusion

National Strategy for Agricultural and Rural Development for the years 2014-2020 for the first time addresses the complex issues of integrated development of agriculture, rural areas and the surrounding

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Conclusion

Green Economy principles addressed in general and specific objectives are less or superficial reflected in the Action Plan on the implementation of the National Strategy for Agricultural and Rural Development for the years 2014-2020

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Recommendations

Review Action Plan on the implementation of the National Strategy for Agricultural and Rural Development for the years 2014-2020 and include concrete actions guided by the principles of the Green Economy

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Key institutions involved

- ***State Institutions***

- Ministry of Agriculture and Food Industry
- Academy of Sciences of Moldova (Department of Agricultural Sciences)
- National Agency for Food Safety
- Payments and Intervention Agency for Agriculture (AIPA)

- ***Civil society***

- National Agency for Rural Development
- A.O. ProRuralInvest

- ***Mass media***

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